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In re Application of: **R. Hermann**  
Application No.: **10/606,950**  
Filed: **June 18, 2003**  
For: **DRILLING TOOL FOR A SURGICAL DRILL**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Art Unit: **3731**  
Examiner: **Charles H. Sam**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is:

- ☒ A Response in the above-identified application (4 pages - plus attached PTO-1449)
- ☒ Return receipt postage prepaid postcard;
- ☒ I certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: **Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450** on **March 31, 2005**.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the payment of the required fee(s) or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0625.

Very truly yours,

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